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| Application Number | 10/694,269 |
| Filing Date | October 29, 2003 |
| First Named Inventor | UEHARA et al. |
| Group Art Unit | 3693 |
| Examiner Name | Lemieux, Jessica |
| Attorney Docket Number | 101-001T |

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449 | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Statement | * A copy of 1 non-US reference and a copy of a foreign office communication |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53 | | |

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

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| Firm or Individual name | Posz Law Group, PLC David G. Posz (Reg. No. 37,701) |
| Signature | |
| Date | October 21, 2008 |

Effective on 12/8/2004.

Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

FEE TRANSMITTAL
For FY 2007**Complete if Known**

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☐ Applicant Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 180

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

- ☒ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify): _____
- ☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: **50-1147** Deposit Account Name: **Posz Law Group, PLC**
- For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)
- ☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☐ Charges fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee
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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

| Application Type | FILING FEES | | SEARCH FEES | | EXAMINATION FEES | | Fees Paid (\$) |
|------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | |
| Utility | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 200 | 100 | |
| Design | 200 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 130 | 65 | |
| Plant | 200 | 100 | 300 | 150 | 160 | 80 | |
| Reissue | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 600 | 300 | |
| Provisional | 200 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

| Fee Description | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) |
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| Each claim over 20 or (including Reissues) | 50 | 25 |
| Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) | 200 | 100 |
| Multiple dependent claims | 360 | 180 |

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| Total Claims | Extra Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) | Multiple Dependent Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) |
| - 20 or HP = 0 | x | \$50 | = | \$0 | | |

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

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| Indep. Claims | Extra Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) | |
| - 3 or HP = 0 | x | \$200 | = | \$0 |

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE


If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41 (a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

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4. OTHER FEES(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

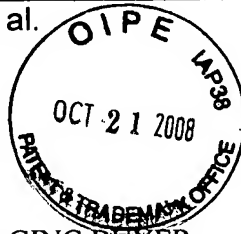
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| Signature |  | Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 37,701 | Telephone (703) 707-9110 |
| Name (Print/Type) | DAVID G. POSZ | Date | October 21, 2008 |

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.138. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 30 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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| Serial No.: 10/694,269 | Group Art Unit: 3693 |
| Filed: October 29, 2003 | Examiner: Lemieux, Jessica |
| Title: METHOD FOR MANAGING BUYER TRANSACTIONS AND SETTLEMENTS USING COMMUNICATION NETWORK BETWEEN COMPUTERS, ... | |



Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: October 21, 2008

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 are being brought to the attention of the Examiner without any admission that they constitute statutory prior art, or without any admission that they contain subject matter that anticipates the invention or renders the invention obvious to a person of ordinary skill in the art.

Further, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e), the undersigned hereby certifies that each listed reference was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in connection with a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.

As a FINAL Office Action on the merits has been mailed in the above identified application, the fee due under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(p) is attached. Please charge any additional fee to Applicant's attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-1147.

Also, the Examiner is requested to initial the attached PTO Form-1449 and to return a copy of same to the undersigned attorney as proof that the listed references have been considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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